

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box →



10759218 - GAU: 2855

PTO/SB/08A (08-00)

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO  <b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT</b>  <i>(use as many sheets as necessary)</i>		<i>Complete if Known</i>	
		Application Number	10/759,218
		Filing Date	January 20, 2004
		First Named Inventor	Durward I. Faries, Jr.
		Group Art Unit	2859
		Examiner Name	Jagan, M.
		Attorney Docket Number	1322.0057CNT
Sheet	1	of	1

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Patent Document		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY
		Number	Kind Code <sup>2</sup> (if known)		
		6,860,271		Faries, Jr. et al.	03-01-2005
		6,649,040		Mirchi et al.	11-18-2003
		6,371,121		Faries, Jr. et al.	04-16-2002
		5,153,827		Coutré et al.	10-06-1992
		4,883,117		Dobbs et al.	11-28-1989
		4,808,159		Wilson	02-28-1989
		4,747,450		Ikegame et al.	05-31-1988
		4,647,756		Willis	03-03-1987
		1,847,573		Rupp	03-01-1932
		US 2004/0189258		Lehmann et al.	09-30-2004
		US 2002/0156451		Lenker	10-24-2002

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. <sup>1</sup>	Foreign Patent Document			Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	T <sup>6</sup>
		Office <sup>3</sup>	Number <sup>4</sup>	Kind Code <sup>5</sup> (if known)			
					</		

Examiner Signature	/Mirellys Jagan/	Date Considered	04/12/2008
--------------------	------------------	-----------------	------------

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

<sup>1</sup> Unique citation designation number.

<sup>2</sup> See attached Kinds of U.S. Patent Documents.

<sup>3</sup> Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3).

<sup>4</sup> For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document.

<sup>5</sup> Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible.

<sup>6</sup> Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /M..